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Federal Election Commission
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Via facsimile to: (202) 219-3496 and Regular Mail

Re: Gutierrez for Congress
C00254581
12-Day Pre-Primary Report (1-1-00 to 3-1-00)

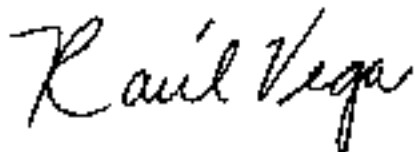
Dear Reports Analysis Division:

This letter will serve to confirm that I received today a Western Union Mailgram regarding the above referenced matter. Also, I spoke with one of the employees in your Division today and was told to send via facsimile a copy of the Receipt for Certified Mail and a copy of the front page of the report for the period. I am, therefore, sending the requested proof of the timely filing.

Further, this letter shall serve as a formal response that the above Committee did file its 12-Day Pre-Primary Report on a timely basis. The Report was sent Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested on March 6, 2000.

Should you need further information or if you would like a duplicate report, please advise.

Sincerely,



Raul Vega
Treasurer for Gutierrez for Congress

cc: Doug Scofield
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